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#### GLOWBUGS Digest 394

Topics covered in this issue include:

- 1) Ham Resources on the net!  
by "Brian Carling" <bry@mail1.mnsinc.com>
- 2) 6BM8 transmitter articles???  
by "Brian Carling" <bry@mail1.mnsinc.com>
- 3) Re: 6BM8 transmitter articles???  
by "Lee Richey" <lee@radioadv.com>
- 4) Re: 6AG7-6L6 statistics so far:  
by Doug <doug@sunrise.alpinet.net>
- 5) Heathkit 807 audio amps  
by "Robert M. Bratcher Jr." <bratcher@worldnet.att.net>
- 6) Re: 6AG7-6L6 statistics so far:  
by "Robert M. Bratcher Jr." <bratcher@worldnet.att.net>
- 7) Re: 6AG7-6L6 statistics so far:  
by aa7ya@juno.com (Stacey T Hanrahan)

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Date: Wed, 25 Dec 1996 07:56:18 +0000  
From: "Brian Carling" <bry@mail1.mnsinc.com>  
To: glowbugs@theporch.com  
Subject: Ham Resources on the net!  
Message-ID: <199612251555.KAA00417@news2.mnsinc.com>

Hi guys - I have been organizing my links and things a little better

at the web page if anyone would enjoy seeing them in a more organized fashion, take a look at

<http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/hamlynx.htm#tubeproj>

for the Glowbugs projects OR:

<http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/hamlynx.htm#qrp>

<http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/hamlynx.htm#boatanch>  
etc.

MERRY CHRISTMAS & ENJOY!

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\*\*\* 73 from Radio AF4K / G3XLQ in Gaithersburg, MD USA \*  
\*\* E-mail to: bry@mnsinc.com \*  
\*\*\* See the great ham radio resources at: \*  
\*\* <http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/> \*  
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Date: Wed, 25 Dec 1996 11:07:18 +0000  
From: "Brian Carling" <bry@mail1.mnsinc.com>  
To: Lee Richey <lee@radioadv.com>, Bob <KE4QOK@worldnet.att.net>,  
Subject: 6BM8 transmitter articles???  
Message-ID: <199612251907.0AA09575@news2.mnsinc.com>

Does ANYONE know what has happened to this article?

It has been "disappeared" off of the WWW!

Does anyone know WHO the site belongs to?

<http://www.cosmosbbs.com/>

OR -

<http://www.cosmosbbs.com/rac.jpg>

The original articles folks were looking for there were:

<http://www.cosmosbbs.com/6bm8wir.jpg>

AND

<http://www.cosmosbbs.com/6bm8sch.jpg>

I was sorry to see them go, and will try to post them here or at

N6EV's site if possible.

MINE is running out of storage space!

HELP!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

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Date: Wed, 25 Dec 1996 14:42:36 -0500  
From: "Lee Richey" <lee@radioadv.com>  
To: <bry@mail1.mnsinc.com>,  
Subject: Re: 6BM8 transmitter articles???  
Message-ID: <199612252033.0AA19103@uro.theporch.com>

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Sorry folks for the confusion. They're not gone (I hope!).

The story is that we (Radio Adventures Co.) own cosmosbbs

internet service. Last week we moved the entire operation from Reno, Pa. to Seneca, Pa. and replaced almost all of the equipment. We put in Ascend Max 4000's, Acer 9000 file servers, loaded RADIUS, etc. Anyway, as you can guess, a few minor details fell through the cracks. One of them being the above mentioned pages.

I'll see what I can do about getting them back up soon. BTW, they were at the end of a 56K line, they are now at the end of a T1 which goes directly to the backbone.

Merry Christmas everyone

-Lee-

<http://www.radioadv.com>

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Date: Wed, 25 Dec 1996 16:45:57 -0700  
From: Doug <doug@sunrise.alpinet.net>  
To: glowbugs@theporch.com  
Subject: Re: 6AG7-6L6 statistics so far:  
Message-ID: <32C1BCB5.D08@alpinet.net>

Hi Brian...well, I guess most of you flat-landers dont realize there's a bunch of us here in Montana and Wyoming. Lots of us work CW and some even build Glowbug stuff....just for fun. We DO listen and work stations from other states, but it's hard to get the guys to QSL...it's getting to be a pain. But, if you work me, I'll qsl...for the good of the Glowbuggers. You can find a bunch of us on 3900 khz at 0030Z every night for the Montana Traffic, and you could arrange a sked with some of us at that time, or drop me a line and I'll try to make the connection. But...dont ever think we've gone away...we just do alot of listening and duck the QRM that originates in 6 land...ugh. I think the only thing worse than that is the East Coasters who set up shop right on top of our nets.

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Doug, K7YD  
Livingston, MT

> Actually no, hams go on DXpeditions to WYoming and Montana these  
> days!  
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Date: Wed, 25 Dec 1996 21:03:31 -0600  
From: "Robert M. Bratcher Jr." <bratcher@worldnet.att.net>  
To: glowbugs@theporch.com  
Subject: Heathkit 807 audio amps  
Message-ID: <3.0.32.19961225210240.006aa984@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>

I hope this isn't too off topic as I remember someone mentioned 807's used for hi fi audio about a week ago. During my teens (mid 70's) I was given a pair of Heathkit "Williamson type" audio amplifiers with the power supplies and preamplifiers. All tube of course. The output tubes for each amplifier was a pair of 807's in class A. A little resale "pawn" shopping and I had my speakers plus a record changer. Once I got it all hooked up my used solid state stereo went in the closet and was given away later. Several months go along and I found a tube type mono FM tuner which was quickly converted to stereo with slight modification and addition of a home built multiplex adapter. Yes home stereo on the cheap. Didn't have a lot of money to spend but then what teen does? Still have that old hi fi setup in my bedroom. Only changes are a pair of manual turntables (one LP/45 the other 78's) plus addition of a stereo reel to reel and an 8 track player. All used of course.

My question is. Am I alone here in the group using used tube audio equipment thats as old as I am? I'm 37 now turning 38 in 8 days. Honestly what I've got is a set of mono systems paired for stereo but thats ok with me. My living room system is used too. Mostly solid state with a pair of McIntosh 275's each wired as a mono amp for 150 watts instead of 75 per channel. None of the amps look mint but they still work great. Now if only I could find a pair of 50's or 60's era mono tube preamplifiers (or a stereo unit) for the main system then I'd really be happy.

Yes I love tubes and planning on building a transmitter from my 40's era Radiocraft magazines early next year. Only problem is which one? There are so many good ones...

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Collins, Hallicrafters, National & Hammurland are my Favorites!

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Date: Wed, 25 Dec 1996 21:41:48 -0600  
From: "Robert M. Bratcher Jr." <bratcher@worldnet.att.net>  
To: KE4QOK@worldnet.att.net  
Cc: Multiple recipients of list <glowbugs@theporch.com>

Subject: Re: 6AG7-6L6 statistics so far:

Message-ID: <3.0.32.19961225214145.006c8b28@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>

At 03:56 AM 12/25/96 +0000, Bob Roach wrote:

>At 01:49 AM 12/25/96 +0000, you wrote:

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>>Actually no, hams go on DXpeditions to Wyoming and Montana these  
>>days!

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>>Back in May, I got AA6MR/m in Wyoming on the County Huumters Net on  
>>14336 kHz.

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>>But you ar eright - it seems like there are no hams left out there  
>>these days. When was the last time anyone heard Idaho or Nevada  
>>even?!

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>Hey Brian,

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>This looks like a vacation plan for someone. Of course we'd probably all  
>end up there at once and there wouldn't be anyone to talk anywhere else.

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>73 es TNX

>KE4QOK Real radios glow in the dark.

>Bob Power is no substitute for skill.

> If it stayed up last winter, it was too small.

>136 Hermitage Rd.

>Newport News, Va. 23606 KE4QOK@worldnet.att.net [try here first]

>(757)930-0348 bob.roach@sourcebbs.com

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You might find me going through those states mobile on SSB in my Chevy  
pickup next summer. Thinking about traveling through some of the US but not  
sure where yet.

When I decide where to go I'll let the glowbug gang know!

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Date: Wed, 25 Dec 1996 21:54:25 MST

From: aa7ya@juno.com (Stacey T Hanrahan)  
To: bry@mail1.mnsinc.com  
Cc: glowbugs@theporch.com  
Subject: Re: 6AG7-6L6 statistics so far:  
Message-ID: <19961225.215555.5375.0.aa7ya@juno.com>

On Tue, 24 Dec 1996 19:49:23 -0600 (CST) "Brian Carling"  
<bry@mail1.mnsinc.com> writes:

>Actually no, hams go on DXpeditions to Wyoming and Montana these  
>days!

Matter of fact, you might want to correct yourself Bry, there are  
at least 3 Montana stations on this list....

There are quite a few mobile stations out here in Montana, but,  
with all the "big guns" out on the east coast, and the 6-landers  
out west, it just gets too frustrating even to conduct, let alone  
sit in on the Montana Traffic Net, right here in Montana. Yes,  
I do contest (mainly CW), and I do on occasion run SSB in the  
evenings. I QSL anyone needing Montana 100%, but I don't  
send one unless the station working me REALLY needs me  
that bad.

The key is, you have to search, if your gonna find... Matter  
of fact, I still need ND on 10 meters, Hawaii on 160, and a  
small handful on 40 and 80.... Do you see me whining?

Statistically, VE5-land has more hams than Montana, but  
they are rare on HF, more so than North Dakota, South  
Dakota and Wyoming combined.

>We get TOO MANY stations from AZ, CA, NM and Washington State.

That is because there are TOO MANY people living in those  
states....

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>72.5 de AF4K

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73 from rare DX - AA7YA

Whitetail, Montana

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